

# Integrity, honesty always a priority at Walkaway Farms

Honesty, integrity and people-pleasing pleasure horses from Personal Power bloodlines are the keys to success at Walkaway Farms in Bell Buckle, TN.

Owners Jerry and Tammy Fears have dedicated some 45 years to the pleasure horse business – as has their family generations before them.

*Sales & breeding bring repeat customers to Fears' TN farm.*

Undaunted by a devastating barn fire in 2002, their love of the horse business continues to be reflected by their gentle, well-behaved, people-loving horses.

A mark of their success is the huge number of repeat buying and breeding customers.

Jerry explains: "What makes our program different is that we emphasize six important basics in the horses we raise, train and sell: people-pleasing disposition, conformation, size, gait, pedigree and color. All six basics are genetic characteristics that are passed along in our blood lines.

"Our horses have head-shaking, long-strided, four-beat natural running walks and are trained naturally. They are between 15.2 and 16 hands. We specialize in black and white spots and yellow, and insist on conformation that allows a horse to walk – naturally. Our



*2004 WGC Power's Dusty Rose & Jerry Fears in a versatility class proving she can win in versatility as well as gaited competition.*

horses produce offspring that want to walk."

Jerry continues: "Pedigree is important because it weights the odds in our favor, plus knowing what past generation have done allows us to have a good idea of what characteristics each individual will



*WC Power's Tribute & Tammy Fears on a Mt. Eagle, TN trail ride.*

possess.

"We work hard to have a pleasant, long-lived, satisfying relationship with our customers," Jerry says, "which means we sell them horses that fill their needs. We match horses with their riding ability."

Walkaway Farms 2005 stallion roster includes Personal Power, a black-and-white tovero; his son, World Champion Power's Tribute; I'm Allen's Starbucks, a homozygous buckskin-and-white tobiano; and I'm Good As Gold, a beautiful cremelo stallion.

Over the years the Fears have won more than 50 championships and grand championships.

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